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EXAMINER INTERVIEW SUMMARY RECORD

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Jonathan Sullivan (3) Daniel Hunter
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Date of interview 7/3/02

Type: ☒ Telephonic ☐ Personal (copy is given to ☐ applicant ☐ applicant's representative).

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: ☐ Yes ☒ No. If yes, brief description:

Agreement ☐ was reached with respect to some or all of the claims in question. ☒ was not reached.

Claims discussed: All, primarily claim 5

Identification of prior art discussed: Motai U.S. patent 6,064,863, Chang U.S. Patent 6,171,123

Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussion centered around the use of Motai as prior art to be used for the rejection of claimed invention. It was explained by the Examiner that the incorrect area of Motai was cited in the rejection, and that Motai does read on the claimed invention.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments, if available, which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments which would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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